IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI GREENVILLE DIVISION

JAMES W. MELTON,

PETITIONER

v.

No. 4:06CV213-P-B

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, ET AL.

RESPONDENTS

FINAL JUDGMENT

In accordance with the memorandum opinion issued today in this cause, that the instant petition for a writ of *habeas corpus* is hereby **DISMISSED** with prejudice and without evidentiary hearing as untimely filed under 28 U.S.C. § 2244(d).

SO ORDERED, this the 9th day of November, 2007.

/s/ W. Allen Pepper, Jr.

W. ALLEN PEPPER, JR. UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE